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THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I agree with the hon. Member but the financial conditions do not permit the starting of a College just now."

SRI T. C. NARAYANA NAMBIAR :—" In answering the question, the Hon. Minister said that there is a girls' college at Kozhikode and in view of that, the opening of a new college at Cannanore is not possible. Is it not a fact that Kozhikode is in South Malabar and Cannanore is in North Malabar, more than 100 miles away, and it will not be possible for the girls of North Malabar to utilize the concession given in Kozhikode? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I am not convinced that Malabar is educationally backward either in the elementary education stage or in the collegiate stage. There are six colleges in one district of Malabar and it would be difficult to open more."

SRI C. H. KANARAN :—" Malabar being a separate cultural national entity, will the Government consider the question of opening a college very soon? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I have stated, Sir, that with the improvement of the financial position, this proposal will be taken up."

SRI T. C. NARAYANA NAMBIAR :—" In my question I did not say that Malabar is educationally backward. As far as education is concerned, Kozhikode is in South Malabar and in view of the fact that thousands of girls have completed their education and are not able to get collegiate education, will the Hon. Minister be pleased to reconsider this question? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I have conceded that there is increasing demand for colleges both for boys and girls so far as Malabar is concerned."

Roads for Harijans in Wandiwash.

* 794 *Q.*—SRI D. DASARATHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state whether any roads have been formed for Harijans since 1950 in Wandiwash?

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" Lands for the formation of a road from the cheri to the main village of Kilvillivalam, Wandiwash taluk, have been acquired during the year 1951. Instructions have been issued to the Collector of North Arcot to take up the work during the current year as early as possible."

SRI D. DASARATHAN :—" In view of the fact that the Harijan Welfare Department finds it very difficult for want of finance to provide the cheris with roads and other facilities, will the Government be pleased either to increase the Harijan Welfare Fund or instruct the other Departments to take interest for providing the cheri people with roads and other facilities? "

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THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" Because there was not sufficient money in the Harijan Welfare Fund, it was thought that we could get this done from the Famine Fund."

Agricultural implements and electrical goods stored in Andhra areas.

* 843-A *Q.*—SRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state whether it is a fact that stores including agricultural implements and electrical goods were moved during the last two months from areas in Andhra to areas in residuary Madras, if so, what is the total value of such goods moved; and for what purposes they were moved?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" The answer to the first part of the question is in the negative; the other parts of the question therefore do not arise. Instructions have been issued to Heads of Departments that there should be no room given even for suspicion of this kind. They have been requested to give their personal attention to this matter and to see that subordinate officers do not order any movements of valuable machinery or stores which are not necessary in the course of ordinary maintenance or for sanctioned works or schemes. Heads of Departments have also been told that they should not order any movements of machinery or stores on any substantial scale without the previous approval of the Government. We have got reports, Sir, to show that no transport of machinery or stores from the residuary Madras area to the Andhra area or *vice versa* has been made in the Electricity Department. The position of the Food and Agricultural Department is also the same."

SRI K. RAJAGOPALA RAO :—" May I know, Sir, whether the Hon. the Chief Minister looked into the press reports in which it is categorically stated that lorries of the Civil Supplies Department were transferred very recently from the Vijayavada unit to the Madras unit? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I will make a statement with regard to that when the concerned adjournment motion comes up before the House."

SRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH :—" Is it not a fact that electrical goods from Pakala in Chittoor district have been transferred to the residuary State very recently? "

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" As far as I could get information and give information, I have done it already, Sir. If any particular instances are brought to my notice, I shall make an enquiry."

SRI V. BALAKRISHNAN :—" Has the division of the movables between the two States already commenced? " 8-40 a.m.

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" No, Sir. The point is that they think that we are stealing."